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First Named Inventor Abramovitch  
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Original Patent Issue Date (Month/Day/Year) 04/04/00  
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### APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:

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Utility Patent



Design Patent



Plant Patent

### APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in double column copy of patent format (amended, if appropriate)
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
5. ☒ Reissue Oath/Declaration (original or copy)  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.175) (PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned?  
☒ Yes ☐ No  
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))  
☒ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53)  
☒ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of Attorney (PTO/SB/96)

### ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☒ Statement of status/support for all changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173 (c).
8. ☒ Original U.S. Patent for surrender  
☒ Ribboned Original Patent Grant  
☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
9. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119) (if applicable)
10. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
11. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration (if applicable)
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## Claims as Filed - Part 1

Claims in Patent		Number Filed in Reissue Application	(3) Number Extra	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
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(A) 37	Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))	(B) 37	**** 0 =	x \$_____ =	or	x \$18 =	0
(C) 6	Independent claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	(D) 6	* 0 =	x \$_____ =		x \$84 =	0
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## Claims as Amended - Part 2

	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Extra Claims Present	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
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Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	*** 17	MINUS	***** 6	= 11	x \$_____ =		x \$ 84 =	924.00
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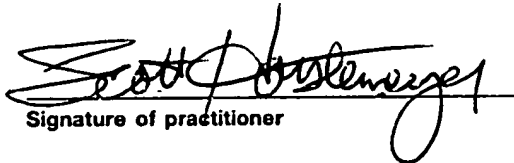
Practitioner's Docket No. 10970174-4**PATENT****REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF DRAWINGS FROM ORIGINAL PATENT  
TO REISSUE APPLICATION**

Please transfer the drawings from original patent, 6,046,968, filed on  
July 24, 1997, for the invention entitled Re-Writable Optical Disk Having  
Reference Clock Information Permanently Formed on the Disk

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